June 28, 1963

Mrs.R. Henry Norweb
9511 Lake Shore Blvd.
Cleveland88, Ohio

Dear Emery May:

Evelyn and I are about to take off for Outer Mongolia so I hope to have lots of wild tales to tell you on our return.

Picker wrote me that you had asked him questions about Fugios struck in gold and I responded to him as long as he was going to be the middleman. I presume he sent you a copy of my letter of June 10 to him.

At your convenience, I would appreciate knowing what Fugio pattern types you have, regardless of what metal they are in, as I am going to write a monograph on this subject since the work I did previously is now obsolete and much additional material is now in my files. It would be a pleasure to hear from you, as always.

My kindest regards to your husband.

Sincerely yours,

ERIC P. NEWMAN

EPN/atb

September 17, 1963

Mrs. R. Henry Norweb
9511 Lake Shore Blvd.
Cleveland 8, Ohio

Dear Emery May:

I enjoyed seeing your husband for a fleeting moment at the American Numismatic Society meeting and this reminded me to write to you.

The Brand Fugio piece, in gold, has been submitted to me and I presume it was previously submitted to you. However, I believe that you have a Fugio, in gold, which I need information on as I have now determined to write up the Fugio material promptly. Do you have a photograph of your coin and its weight? This would avoid the necessity of sending the coin to me if you prefer not to do so. May I have your prompt cooperation on the foregoing.

I have, for sale, a collection of about 1100 different pieces of Colonial and Continental paper money, many being in beautiful condition, and with an adequate group of rarities. I do not know if you have an interest in paper money but because of your interest in the Colonial field this has occurred to me. I can send you a list of it if you desire.

[redacted]

My very kindest personal regards, and I look forward to hearing from you soon.

Sincerely,

EPN/atb

ERIC P. NEWMAN

September 17, 1963

Mr. R.Henry Norweb
9511 Lake Shore Blvd.
Cleveland 8, Ohio

Dear Henry:

It was nice seeing you in New York and I am sorry I could not visit with you after the meeting.

I have written Amon Carter, as per the enclosed.

You wanted me to suggest other A.N.A. people for the A.N.S. One of the men who seems particularly fine to me is Charles Johnson, but he is from Los Angeles.

I wish I knew John Pitman better so that I had an opinion as to whether the A.N.S. Council would be the place for him. His defeat as A.N.A. President resulted, I am told, from (1) running for that office when another man deserved it, and (2) for permitting his campaign to be run in Madison Avenue style.

Kindest regards.

Sincerely yours,

ERIC P. NEWMAN

EPN/atb

435 EAST FIFTY-SECOND STREET
NEW YORK 22

September 19, 1963

Dear Eric:

The pleasure of seeing you in New York was mitigated by brevity. We must plan it better on another occasion.

The note to Amon Carter should pave the way and my hope is that he will be responsive.

The name of Charles Johnson rings a bell, but the connection escapes me.

As to John, I agree he has ruled himself out - at least for the present.

In New York for a few days to join my wife on a private safari.

Very sincerely,

Van Lear Black

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HARRY NORWEB

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January 6, 1964

Mr.Henry Norweb
435 East 52nd Street
New York, New York

Dear Henry:

Thank you for your telegram and invitation to have luncheon with you. I do want, so much, to discuss a number of matters with you, but cannot attend the A.N.S. meeting this time. You were very nice to ask me.

My best regards to Emery May and yourself.

Cordially,

ERIC P. NEWMAN

EPN/atb

August 24, 1964

Mrs. R. Henry Norweb
9511 Lake Shore Boulevard
Cleveland 8, Ohio

Dear Emery Mae:

To be fifty years an ANA member and a more vigorous collector than you were when you started is outstanding. Congratulations again and I'll be at your 75th if I can be wheeled there.

I appreciated so much the delightful hospitality of both of you at the club and the good fellowship which was generated that evening by the group. Your rejoinder to the remarks of the men was classic - full of your philosophy and enthusiasm. Thank you for including me in that stimulating group.

The key to our city is ready to be handed to you and Henry whenever you can come.

Don't worry about not answering all my queries promptly. I know I'll have your cooperation when I'm pressed for a publication.

Yours with mint lustre,

Eric P. Newman

EPN/cal

1816 UNION COMMERCE BUILDING
CLEVELAND 14, OHIO

September 14, 1964

Dear Eric:

This is being written on the chance that you may be in or near New York at the same time we are, that is, from the 25th of September through the 1st of October. If our visits should coincide please let me know at the apartment - Eldorado 5-6161, so that we can get together to exchange ideas on a couple of items important to the ANS.

Sincerely yours,

Hy Mamb.

1899
~~1846~~ UNION COMMERCE BUILDING
CLEVELAND 14, OHIO

October 5, 1964

Dear Eric:

When in New York last week I learned that you had gone abroad. Sorry there was no chance to talk over ANS matters.

I am writing at this time to ask if you saw any of the American material coming up on the October 14th sale, - the 1794 Dollars and the Large Cents of the same date.

Did any of the latter strike you as particularly attractive? We are looking for an outstanding example of this date.

Also, were the two early Dollars uncirculated? I wonder how much they expect them to fetch.

With regards,

Sincerely,

Hugh Wade.

October 21, 1964

Mr. Henry Norweb
435 East 52nd Street
New York 22, New York

Dear Henry:

It has occurred to me to suggest to you the name of Kenneth Scott to be considered for the American Numismatic Society.

He has a fully rounded cultural background. He has taught Romance languages, history, and, perhaps many other subjects. He is skilled in research. He is working in the New York area, I believe at the Queensborough Community College, Bayside, New York. His wife is also a college professor. I am not sure of his age.

I know him well and I think it would be worth while for the matter to be investigated.

Sincerely yours,

ERIC P. NEWMAN

EPN/atb

1899
~~1016~~ UNION COMMERCE BUILDING
CLEVELAND 14, OHIO

October 26, 1964

Dear Eric:

I am writing this from Cleveland - but your letter addressed to New York was on my desk after a few days on the duck marshes -- perfect weather.

I am glad to have your suggestion and will make further inquiries when in New York the latter part of this week. The approach has to be a cautious one, and should anything develop I will keep in touch.

[redacted]

Very sincerely,

H. Ivan Smith

1899

UNION COMMERCE BUILDING
CLEVELAND 14, OHIO

November 2, 1964

Dear Eric:

When at the Society last week the Director was very much on the job - and in the President's absence abroad I gather the problem is quiescent for the present.

Regards from us both,

Very sincerely,

H. Wade.

THE JOHN HUNTINGTON FUND FOR EDUCATION
629 EUCLID AVENUE
CLEVELAND, OHIO

OFFICE OF
THE PRESIDENT

December 8, 1965

Dear Eric:

This is for your eyes only. At the Financial Executive Committee Meeting last Friday, your letter was on the Agenda. Sawyer was asked to reply in what he considered rather general terms.

I honestly think if the project is to make any headway, it will have to be demonstrated that it is desired and that the mechanics such as funds, lecturers, space, etc., can be worked out. I do not know whether you plan to be at the Annual Meeting on the 11th. If so, it could provide an opportunity for a personal presentation and by thus giving substance to your ideas, it would help to determine to what extent the program is practical.

Yours sincerely,

Ivy Norris

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December 27, 1965

Dear Eric:

It was thoughtful of you to let me know of the contribution. I hope that others will be similarly inspired and that it will help spark the project about which we have been corresponding.

With renewed best wishes for the coming New Year.

Yours sincerely,

Harry Wade.

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January 13, 1966

Dear Eric:

You were greatly missed at last Saturday's meeting of the Council. Your letter and gift sparked a general discussion of the ways and means to expand the Society's activities. Because of my own interest and advocacy of this "new look", I feel it important for us to get together preferably before the next meeting in April. If there is any chance of New York being a common meeting ground, perhaps we can discuss this matter there. If not, we could at least review the whole situation some evening by long distance.

If anything is going to be done along the lines in which we are interested, I think it would have to be in the form of a crash program with you and I and perhaps Buttrey generating most of the ideas. Let me hear from you in due course.

My wife joins in personal best wishes.

Yours sincerely,

H. Irvine

March 15, 1966

Dear Emery May and Henry,

Just a note to tell you how delightful it was to be with you, in New York, and to thank you for your hospitality. The shad roe was really delicious.

I am very sincere in my feeling that Emery May should be on the A.N.S. Council and that nepotism is to be welcomed in this situation.

The invitation to come to St. Louis still holds.

Kindest personal regards to both of you.

Sincerely,

ERIC P. NEWMAN

Mr. and Mrs.Henry Norweb
9511 Lake Shore Blvd.
Cleveland 8, Ohio

Copy of letter from
Charles M. Johnson
March 29, 1966

Next, as to the copy of your letter of January 18th, addressed to John Pittman, regarding a closer liason between A.N.A. and A.N.S., I am at a loss to know why John has not answered this important letter or done anything with you about it. I am glad to learn that A.N.S. has taken an initial step in the direction of working on this problem and named you to look into the matter.

As I recall A.N.A. discussed this matter during our Board meeting last fall when I reported on a constructive visit I had with Sawyer Mosser. At that time our A.N.A. Board was whole heartily behind the idea that greater cooperation was highly desireable and decided to explore the matter. Since most of our work is done through committees and since I live on the West Coast, we decided to have someone from the East, pursue the matter and asked John to do the job, which he assured us he would undertake. Apparently, this is where the matter rests.

For my part, and I believe I speak for A.N.A., we are generally anxious to explore and develop ways in which our organizations can work together using existing facilities and personal to accomplish various services and programs for the betterment of numismatics at the local, regional and national levels. Specifically, it is not feasible to intelligently discuss such services and programs in this letter. I shall, however, endeavor in the near future to or= ganize my thoughts on this subject and submit them to you for consideration and perhaps an exchange of ideas, to see if we can come up with a few constructive suggestions to present to both our organizations for adoption.

Time is the essential element, and I find that with my daily work and my leisure time work on A.N.A.'s fund raising drive, building and plans committee, library and other activities, that I may not be able to accomplish all that should be done. However, you will hear from me soon, and I hope it will bear fruit.

PRIVATE

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April 7, 1966

Dear Eric:

Some time ago, I wrote of an approach made by your friend Charles Johnson to Sawyer Mosser with a view to exploring the educational areas in which the ANS and ANA might usefully cooperate.

For your information, here is a pertinent part of a recent letter on this score from Mr. Johnson.

At this time, when things are pretty touchy at the Society, it is hardly the moment to stir up the animals, but any suggestions and comments would, of course, be grist to the mill.

With personal regards from us both.

Ever sincerely,

Harry.

May 6,1966

Mr. Henry Norweb
9511 Lake Shore Blvd.
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Henry:

You were nice enough to send me the comments of Charles Johnson with respect to a mutuality of interests between the A.N.S. and A.N.A. as to educational areas. I sincerely believe A.N.A. and A.N.S. should work more closely and I cannot understand why A.N.A. is endeavoring to have a museum at their headquarters when A.N.S. already performs this function. As to a library, I can understand the need of A.N.A. service in this regard.

As to educational programs, they are now being used as an attendance getter for local and regional club meetings and are more in the nature of entertainment than scholarship.

From information I have, I do not believe the A.N.A. will back the Roosevelt University program and there are others who are disappointed at its outcome after all the effort that went into making it attractive. This points even more to A.N.S. doing the job properly.

With best wishes to you and Emery May,

Sincerely,

ERIC P. NEWMAN NUMISMATIC
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September 12, 1966

Dear Eric:

During the Chicago convention Mr. Johnson will have brought you up-to-date on our exchange of letters, he on behalf of the ANA and I, at Mr. Milbank's request, on behalf of ANS.

Nothing of consequence but we should make a point to talk things over when next in New York.

A number of developments at the Society, the most important of course being the arrangement with Dr. Miles to take over as Executive Secretary until his retirement three years hence. I understand that the librarian resigned a few days ago. ✗

My wife joins in sending you best regards. With a very full schedule for the Museum's 50th anniversary, I wonder how she finds the time for anything else; yet hardly a day goes by without a couple hours of coin work.

Sincerely,

Hu.

✗ This was come to me as a member of the Pension Committee.

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January 31, 1967

Dear Eric:

It won't be necessary to cue you on the enclosed letter from Charles Johnson. All I hope is that the record at the ANS is now quite clear on this score.

When I know the sense of Miles' reply, I will of course write Mr. Johnson. However there are some things that can better be said than put to paper and since you probably will be seeing Johnson sometime soon, you would perhaps be good enough to tell him that what transpired was due to a breakdown of communications and not through lack of interest or by default. You will remember I almost blew a fuse when it came out that a second lot of duplicates had been sold to dealers by-passing the standing offer to meet any reasonable valuation with the ANA or the Smithsonian beneficiaries.

I hope the powers that be are aware of the importance of acting promptly on the Lima deal. With the Parke-Bernet sale just around the corner, it is vital to have the collection in our possession should the owner hear of the fancy values put on some of the Peruvian items.

With personal regards.

Very sincerely,

Harry

P.S. I have just seen the minutes of the last Council Meeting, once again without mention of any reference to any preference to be given to sister organizations.

H.

ERIC P. NEWMAN NUMISMATIC EDUCATION SOCIETY

6450 Cecil Avenue, St. Louis 5, Missouri

February 7, 1967

Mr. Henry Norweb
The John Huntington Fund for Education
629 Euclid Avenue
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Harry:

Thank you for your note of January 31, 1967 with respect to the disposal of library duplicates from the ANS. Have you reconfirmed Johnson's request to Dr. Miles in writing? Perhaps if you do that and I do that it might be helpful. You might also wish to get a letter from the Smithsonian if they want to be considered with respect to books which are to be disposed of. Even the little research organization which I have started would like to have certain books rather than have them go into commercial channels but by my connection with ANS I am sure it would be subject to raised eyebrows.

My best to you and yours.

Sincerely yours,

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February 8, 1967

Dear Eric:

Thanks for your observations on the duplicate book situation. When next in Washington I will call at the Smithsonian.

By way of bringing you up-to-date enclosed is a copy of the letter from George Miles on the basis of Johnson's letter. My reply thereto dovetails.

Yours sincerely,

Tom

February 8, 1967

Dear George:

On the basis of your letter here is a copy of my acknowledgement to Mr. Johnson dovetailing with your own.

It may not as yet have come to your attention since the book has only been available for a few days, but Bill Wixom's "Treasures from Medieval France" acknowledges, on page 218, your help in describing the two Anglo-Gallic coins on display during the exhibit.

Next Tuesday the 14th, I shall be in New York for the day and hope to telephone for the latest report on Henry's quest.

Very sincerely,

THE JOHN HUNTINGTON FUND FOR EDUCATION
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OFFICE OF
THE PRESIDENT

August 13, 1968

Dear Eric:

Drop me a line when it would be convenient for me to call you some evening. Things are taking place at the Society on which I know you would wish to be informed and to which you could help give useful direction.

E[redacted]

The next meeting of the Budget and Finance Committee is set for the 23rd of August and the chief problem centers around budget deficit. Milbank naturally wants to raise funds for increased income, a laudable project but it seems to me more immediate to undertake a review of spending policies which, as you know, have always been too "easy".

Ever sincerely,

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August 27, 1968

Dear Eric:

The budget passed with no changes in the draft sent you privately. An additional $1,000 each was voted for Thompson, Elam and Main in recognition of the extra duties they carried so willingly over the past few months when George gave up practically all responsibility. Very much in line with your suggestion Margaret Thompson was named acting Chief Curator, Elam acting Secretary as well as acting Director. November ends George's special six months leave of absence; after that, it is my belief, that we will have a new ball game. Personally I believe he is out but may try to hold on to some office and secretarial service at Headquarters--a questionable set-up at best. General disappointment all round at George's attitude.

An ad hoc committee was set up for the 1973 international conference which the Society and the Smithsonian are co-sponsoring. Margaret Thompson will represent the Society in the preliminaries and Howland the Smithsonian. The Committee will be enlarged in due course.

As for new members of the Council, such names were suggested as John Slocum, a retired Foreign Service Officer; Richard Murray, connected with the Phipps estate in New Yark and a John Legget. These names were mentioned in passing as was Emery May's.

The deficit was met by drawing on reserves but with cautionary admonitions that the endowment income would

have to be increased. Very little about trimming expenses. The increased costs of the seminars even though abbreviated gave rise to some comment but the solid academic front could not be breached. It was generally admitted on the other hand that unless the Summer seminar were free in every respect it would not attract scholars.

Let us know of your plans if you are to be in New York in advance of the next meeting. It would be good to get together. Emery May leaves the hospital tomorrow and is confident of restored mobility.

Sincerely yours,

ERIC P. NEWMAN NUMISMATIC EDUCATION SOCIETY

6450 Cecil Avenue, St. Louis 5, Missouri

September 5, 1968

Mr.R. Henry Norweb
822 National City Bank Building
629 Euclid Avenue
Cleveland, Ohio 44114

Dear Harry:

I am very pleased that Emery Mae is out of the hospital and ready to kick again.

You asked about our plans for New York and my wife and I are arriving Friday morning, September 13. I plan to work at the Society both Friday afternoon and Saturday.

I assume Emery May will not come to New York but if she does Evelyn and I would be delighted to come up to see both of you. If you are alone, then, perhaps you might come out to dinner with us.

We are going to Connecticut on Sunday, September 15, but have no special plans prior to that.

I appreciate, so much, your keeping me advised as to the Society's problems and feel full cost of the summer seminars should be developed in order to have everyone appreciate what we are offering without cost and at what penalty.

Perhaps we can talk again, by telephone, before the meeting.

My best regards to both of you.

Sincerely,

Eric

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September 9, 1968

Dear Eric:

Your prompt response is appreciated and helps by its timeliness to project my New York schedule in advance. You were right in assuming that Emery May will not be with me since it is less than three weeks since the operation and we count on another month before she is fully mobile.

In the light of your plans may I suggest that Evelyn and you join me at 12 or 12:15 at the apartment, 432 East 52nd Street, having luncheon downstairs at the River Club. From there it is exactly twenty minutes to the Society. This will give me very great pleasure and get us both out in ample time for the meeting. Your being there will be a stimulus for us all.

I shall be in New York about noon on the twelfth if you will be good enough to call me at Eldorado 5-6161 or failing that leaving word with the answering service.

Ever my best in which Emery May most heartily joins. She is sorry, indeed, to have missed out.

Yours sincerely,

RWM

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September 16, 1968

Dear Eric:

Over luncheon the other day you with characteristic interest in others preoccupations, made a couple of concrete suggestions on the subject of scholarships. First as to the possibility of encouraging repayment over the years, then in that event naming a scholarship after the individual.

I believe the Fund you had in mind is the one marked on the enclosed copy. When you have a free moment, if you ever do, could you give me the benefit of your thought as to how, in making scholarship grants, we might best impress them with a sense of responsibility of trying over the years to repay some of the aid given to them so that more might similarly benefit.

All too infrequently do our paths cross but when they do we manage to cover the waterfront. On this occasion your wife was an added attraction. Emery May sends you her best and hopes to attend your talk on November 9th.

With best regards,

Hugh Morris

September 20, 1968

Mr. R. Henry Norweb
The John Huntington Fund for Education
629 Euclid Avenue
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Harry:

Evelyn and I just returned from New York and want to take this opportunity to thank you for your hospitality for luncheon while we were there. It was pleasant as well as stimulating and the only drawback is that Emery May could not be with us.

I have contacted a Scholarship Fund, locally, which has a whole series of data on their loan procedures and they have promised within two weeks to send me their forms. I think they will be very helpful to you.

Please wish Emery May "happy hopping" at the earliest possible time and don't forget your standing invitation to come to St.Louis.

Thank you, again, for your kindness.

Sincerely,

ERIC P. NEWMAN

EPN/atb

October 14, 1968

Mr. R. Henry Norweb
822 National City Bank Building
Cleveland, Ohio 44114

Dear Harry:

In accordance with our discussion, I am enclosing herewith information concerning The Scholarship Foundation of St. Louis which now operates entirely on a loan basis.

I hope you will find this procedure of interest as it enables a small organization to have an enormous impact. A large organization could modify its procedures so as to have a gigantic impact.

I am sure by now that Emery May is walking on air.

Sincerely,

ERIC P. NEWMAN

EPN/atb

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OFFICE OF
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October 21, 1968

Dear Eric:

At the point of departure for two days on the duck marshes let me hastily and gratefully thank you for the helpful material on scholarships. We are working on a plan to put some features into our own operations.

With Emery May, I expect to be in Toronto to see the Reford collection before the sale. Then on to New York for a meeting of the organizing committee for the International Numismatic gathering for which the Smithsonian and ourselves are to be co-hosts in '71. On this score I want very much to keep you posted because I feel sure that with the others your views will be valued.

Emery May joins in best regards.

Sincerely yours,

Harry

P.S. Did you see the Glendining catalog on the Washington material.

ERIC P. NEWMAN NUMISMATIC EDUCATION SOCIE.

6450 Cecil Avenue, St. Louis 5, Missouri

November 11, 1968

Mr. and Mrs. R.Henry Norweb
9511 Lake Shore Drive
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Emery May and Harry:

Congratulations to the first husband and wife team on the American Numismatic Society Council.

My wife and I enjoyed so much having the opportunity to see you for a few moments and we had to hasten off as a grandchild of ours was born that afternoon. I have been assured that my talk did not start the labor pains.

This letter will constitute acknowledgement of your turning over to us, for study, the 1855 Blake and Agnell Assayers bar with three counterstamps on each side. I plan to have a nondestructive metal analysis made if that is satisfactory to you.

You indicated to me that the item was bought from John J. Ford, Jr., about 1953 and we would appreciate it if you would give us any details you have concerning the acquisition. This would include a photocopy of the check or other evidence of payment, any correspondence, or invoice in connection with the item. These matters are of great importance, as you realize.

With respect to my talk in New York, please let me know if there are any assertions which you disagree with as I want to correct anything which is not accurate in connection with the subject because it is in the course of being written up for publication.

Evelyn joins me in sending you our very best greetings and we still look forward to your visit to St.Louis.

Cordially,

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9511 LAKE SHORE BOULEVARD
CLEVELAND 8, OHIO

November 14, 1968

My dear Eric:

Thank you for your nice letter of the 11th. It is a stimulation seeing you.

As to the triple bar I will get out all documents and send copies to you.

In your talk you said that the Woods coinage had never been used in the American colonies. I was under the impression that when Ireland refused the coinage the King wrote a letter or issued an edict that it should be sent to America. It seems to me I have seen a facsimile of the order.

Our best to you both.

Cheney Gray Morrow

ERIC P. NEWMAN NUMISMATIC EDUCATION SOCIETY

6450 Cecil Avenue, St. Louis 5, Missouri

November 21, 1968

Mrs. R. Henry Norweb
9511 Lake Shore Blvd.
Cleveland 8, Ohio

Dear Emery May:

While you and Harry are gathering your material on the triple bar, you may need a laugh.

I am enclosing a photocopy of the inside front cover advertisement in the July 1959 NUMISMATIST.

Kindest regards.

Sincerely,

ERIC P. NEWMAN NUMISMATIC
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November 27, 1968

Dear Eric:

Emery May has asked me to forward this material relating to the B and A item. She hopes it will prove useful as well as being of interest. Meanwhile, it may take a little more time to get the balance of the record out of storage.

Isn't this whole affair intriguing? It calls to mind that some six or more years ago the Kagins had a similar item but stamped with value in dollars and cents.

Sincerely yours,

Hy Nash

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May 6, 1969

Dear Eric:

As you will have seen from the minutes of the ANS no developments of particular moment have been on the docket. Miss Thompson has taken over well now that lines of authority have been clearly drawn. George Miles is back at his desk much like a retired chairman of the board who has been allowed office space. Maull and I are having some problems with the TIAA plan as a substitute for our present welfare program. Finances are sound but as with all institutions, the personal formula for thrift "always spend less than you have" has never really taken root.

Do let me hear when you plan to come next to New York and on the chance that your wife will be with you, Emery May and I would be pleased if we could arrange for an evening together. Busy as we are numismatically, all of us, I know, manage to keep a finger in many other pies. Both of us will be in New York for the meeting June 13 then about mid-August Emery May and I propose to attend the opening of the new mint with cheers for Eva Adams.

Somewhere along the line we would like to know your reaction to the triple bar. I wonder if the Kagin Brothers still have their's. There was a good article recently on your firm emphasizing the impact of style changes. Yes indeed, change is in the air these days.

Sincerely yours,

Harry Wonnacott,

ERIC P. NEWMAN NUMISMATIC EDUCATION SOCIETY

6450 Cecil Avenue, St. Louis 5, Missouri

May 13, 1969

Mr. R. Henry Norweb
629 Euclid Avenue
Cleveland, Ohio 44114

Dear Harry:

Thank you for your nice note of May 6,1969.

As to June 13, 1969, I have agreed to give a talk to the New York Numismatic Club and will therefore attend the A.N.S. meeting, too. Evelyn is planning to come along if she can arrange her work.

I also plan to be at the dedication of the United States Mint and hope Evelyn will join me then. It will be a pleasure to see both of you, as always.

The most recent problem confronting me on celebrations is whether to attend the preview of the Willy Collection on the evening of May 26. I am advised that Schulman, Kosoff, Harvey Stack, etc., will be in Europe at the I.A.P.N. and that efforts to change the date of the Smithsonian activity were unsuccessful. Whether certain Pioneer Gold items, which we wish to see, are going to be shown or not, is not clear. We have endeavored in several ways to obtain information with respect to them and, to date, there has been no information given or offered. This, of course, relates to the bar which we are studying for you. The Kagins promised to send me all of their unusual Pioneer pieces but only sent me one, in lead, which is of virtually no help. Are you planning to go to the Smithsonian activity or not?

Evelyn told me that some girls from Cleveland, including a member of your family, are coming to St. Louis, shortly, to learn the procedures we used for money raising for our Arts and Education Fund.

The reason for the delay in answering you is that Evelyn and I took a tow boat ride down the Mississippi River to New Orleans. We bought the ride at an Arts and Education Fund Auction. We really had a ball.

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Mr. R. Henry Norweb

May 13, 1969

I will contact you as soon as our plans are a little more definite and very much appreciate your suggestion that we get together.

Most cordially yours,

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May 21, 1969

Dear Eric:

To our regret we shall miss one another in Washington on your forthcoming visit. As in previous years it has been a family pattern, on Memorial Day, to rally round to help open the house at Booth Bay Harbor. However, the idea of meeting on June 13 should work out splendidly as Emery May and I both plan to attend the ANS meeting and the club dinner that evening.

We plan to be in New York early the 12th and will be free for luncheon at 12:30 at the River Club, East 52nd Street. Do let us know so that details can be perfected.

We join in best regards to you both.

Yours sincerely,

Harry

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ERIC P. NEWMAN NUMISMATIC EDUCATION SOCIETY

6450 Cecil Avenue, St. Louis 5, Missouri

June 18, 1969

Mr. and Mrs. R. Henry Norweb
9511 Lake Shore Blvd.,
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Emery May and Harry:

You have asked our opinion with respect to the genuineness of a BLAKE AND ASWELL, Sacramento, California, gold bar consisting of three adjacent stampings on one side reading "BLAKE AND ASWELL/ASSAYERS/SAC.CAL." and three adjacent stampings on the other side reading "DOLLS./900 THOUS./1855". One set of the stampings is inverted in relation to the other two. The denomination is not stamped anywhere into the strip bar as it is in single units made with the same die punches.

You have sent us a copy of a write up prepared by the New Netherlands Coin Company, Inc., entitled BLAKE AND ASWELL: PIONEER COINERS AND ASSAYERS OF SACRAMENTO 1854-62. This draft gives no provenance or pedigree on the prior ownership of any of the items or any information as to their first numismatic discovery. It does give other technical information as to weight, fineness, content, etc.

You indicated that the strip bar was bought by you from John J. Ford, Jr., about 1953. A theory for the existence of your bar was presented in the New Netherlands Coin Company, Inc., write up, namely, that due to the short weight of the strip bar it was kept as a souvenir. This theory is, in our opinion, quite unsound. Two full weight $25 bars could have been cut off the strip and the balance thrown back in the melt or stamped an odd amount as was said to have been done. For an assayer to keep the strip in its present form was, therefore, pointless.

The entire problem with respect to this bar is whether any of the BLAKE AND ASWELL bars are genuine or not. If they are genuine the parties who discovered them are in a position to give data with respect to their source but no such data has ever been made available. Paul Franklin, through whom these pieces apparently made their first numismatic appearance

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refused to testify as to the source of the $20 1853 United States Assay Office 900 gold fine coins which were in issue in the Garland vs. Ryan arbitration in 1966-68. Paul Franklin is also the source of the Parsons bar (Colorado) which is the first of the theretofore unknown bars to appear. He is also the numismatic source of the BLAKE & COMPANY circular coins. The exact business relationship between Paul Franklin and John J. Ford, Jr., is complicated as they were close friends and lived close by in Long Island for many years. John J. Ford, Jr., once told me that Paul Franklin was the finest metallurgist Ford had ever known. Franklin in the Garland-Ryan hearings explained the process of electrotyping with full technical detail and described his ability as a machinist. He also dealt in coins.

No catalogue ever had the Parsons, the Blake, the Blake and Agnell, and other pieces listed in them until these were put into the Red Book in 1952 and thereafter and into the Standard Catalogue. These insertions were apparently based upon information volunteered by John J. Ford, Jr. All such entries have now been withdrawn from the Red Book except the Parsons bar. The Standard Catalogue is no longer published. A Blake and Agnell $25 bar was in an advertisement of the New Net erlands Coin Company, Inc., in the July, 1959 Numismatist. This ad states that "it has been the New Netherlands Coin Company's good fortune to devise a system of unearthing numerous unique pieces not previously known". It further states that "we have handled the most fabulous items imaginable". We do not understand how one would legitimately devise a system to discover numerous unique pieces. The word "fabulous" means "unreal". It is the strongest advertisement we have ever seen and belies itself.

Under the circumstances we feel that the burden of proof is on those who sold the strip item to you to establish its provenance; otherwise the piece should be construed to be artificial. We feel that when facts are available and are not disclosed that you have the right to rely upon the failure to disclose facts as being indicative of the fact that their disclosure would undermine the genuineness of the piece. There are too many unknown pieces which have appeared since 1952

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June 18, 1969

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Norweb

from the same source. Many are in the Josiah Lilly collection at the Smithsonian Institution.

We are seeking further facts on the matter but vigorous efforts have been made to block us by many of those who either own, have owned, or have been connected with the sale of similar items.

The strip has been returned to you. It was most interesting to examine.

Cordially yours,

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July 1, 1969

Dear Eric:

I am, indeed, in your debt for the discerning comments in your helpful letter. The petering out of emphasis in this "series" in the Red Book and the failure to be featured in the Lilly exhibit had hardened a growing feeling of uneasiness.

For the present, you will understand why this whole matter is personal between us and that only discreet inquiries are being made. It will be fun to keep you posted on developments.

Sincerely yours,

ERIC P. NEWMAN NUMISMATIC EDUCATION SOCIETY

6450 Cecil Avenue, St. Louis 5, Missouri

January 12, 1970

Mrs. Henry Norweb
9511 Lake Shore Blvd.
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Emery May:

On checking my correspondence with Mr. du Pont, I find that I ought to write him again and have done so. Copies are enclosed.

This will give you address detail in the event you find an opportunity to make a personal contact.

It was a pleasure to see you and General Lee, in New York, as always, and I hope you have a very pleasant holiday in Florida.

Sincerely yours,

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6450 Cecil Avenue, St. Louis 5, Missouri

January 14, 1971

Mr. Walter E. Johnson
2737 E. Euclid
Des Moines, Iowa 50317

Dear Mr. Johnson:

Your letter of January 5, 1971 is at hand with respect to the four 1936 DOT cents.

Although we have given our opinion on many coins submitted, we have never had the problem of modern Canadian coinage. We will, however, study the coins if you care to send them to us.

There is, apparently, no purpose in discussing the reputation of Bob Gregor, as the coins will have to speak for themselves.

Our suggestion to you is that you have the four coins photographed so that they are readily identifiable. This should be worth your while in view of the fact that you have such tremendous confidence in them. There would then be positive identification of each one and it even might help in their study if nice enlargements were made.

We will certainly try to be helpful in studying the coins.

Sincerely yours,

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6450 Cecil Avenue, St. Louis 5, Missouri

January 14, 1971

Mrs. N.Norweb
9511 Lake Shore Blvd.
Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Mary May:

Our paths don't cross often enough with yourself and Harry's, but we think of you often.

A number of research problems continue to come my way and I wonder if you can help me on the following.

I need a photograph of an 1802 over 01 Dollar of the Bolender 9 variety. Do you have one in your collection which could be photographed?

I may wish to examine a 1936 DOT Canadian cent. I presume you, or your Foundation, have one and merely wanted to ascertain that fact if I need to study it.

Evelyn and I are enjoying, so much, a home we built in Jamaica with three other couples. We have been able to go there several times during the last few months. This is the type of living we are not accustomed to but hope to adjust our lives to it accordingly.

We still look forward to your visiting our Art Museum if that is the only excuse you have to stay with us for a few days.

My kindest regards to both of you.

Sincerely yours,

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November 3, 1971

Dear Eric:

Returning yesterday from a month abroad I found a number of items from the ANS for the meeting on November 10th. As has been the pattern of the past whenever a session seems of likely interest it has been agreed that we would at least alert one another.

In view of the proposed changes in the ANS constitution your presence would be a valuable contribution in the general interest of the Society. Also coming up for discussion will be one or two special decisions flowing from Kustas' resignation and Dr. West's retirement. The acceptance of Harry Bass as a member of the Council is to be processed. Also up for decision is the name of Evelyn Harrison (see Who's Who enclosed) as a replacement for George Kustas.

When meetings occur in the middle of the week I realize the difficulty. Emery May and I are both caught in the squeeze but the agenda seems important enough to warrant adjustments in our calendar. Hope you are the same.

Best wishes.

Sincerely,

Harry,

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November 5, 1971

Dear Eric:

Since writing you yesterday our plans have changed and both Emery May and I will attend the ANS meeting on the tenth. Should you find it possible to come we would like very much to have you join us for dinner on Tuesday the ninth at River House.

Sincerely yours,

Henry.

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6450 Cecil Avenue, St. Louis 5, Missouri

November 9, 1971

Mr. Henry Norweb
435 East 52nd Street
New York, New York 10022

Dear Harry:

Thank you for writing me and for the kind invitation. I am so sorry I cannot join you. We will find a way to get together soon.

The obituary of E. Zay describes the gems in his collection as the French Colonial pieces which he gave to the Biblioteque Nationale. It is in Vol. 23 p.11 The Numismatist, Jan. 1910. I thought Emery and you might like this reference.

Best wishes,

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822 NATIONAL CITY BANK BUILDING
CLEVELAND, OHIO 44114

January 13, 1972

Dear Eric:

Sorry you missed the annual meeting. The financial report made good reading. Welcome, too, was your own contribution, many of the coins being on display.

Sincerely, as ever,

memo

From: Mr. R. Henry Norweb ~~Mrs.~~

Date: June 18, 1973

To: Eric Newman.

Your two responsive notes to the New York address failed to catch up with me before the meeting. The matter was throughly aired but M.T. who had copies forgot to dig them out of her files and so were not presented. A new draft in preparation will give us another chance to refine policy. You were missed. The new member attended but the search is still on for a replacement for Marion Dadler, one with business or administrative experience and background. The son of a prominent Texas newspaper owner and collector(name on request) and a new memeber, Harry W. Fowler of New York, have beem mentioned. Any suggestions from your own outlook would be grist to the mill.

Regards from both,

R. H. N.

Personally typed!

9511 LAKE SHORE BOULEVARD
CLEVELAND, OHIO 44108

July 20, 1973

My dear Eric,

Summer is flying and the International Numismatic Congress will be upon us in no time. Harry and I wondered if you and your wife would have dinner with us on Sunday, September 9th at the River Club, 447 East 52nd Street. Cocktails will be at 6:30 and dinner at 7:30 so that no one will feel rushed.

We do so hope you will be with us.

Sincerely yours,

Emery May Norweb

August 17, 1973

Dear Emery May,

Thank you for your very nice invitation to have dinner on September 9th. My wife and I have been in New Guinea and for that reason did not have the opportunity of answering sooner.

It is very thoughtful for you to ask us and we will enjoy being with you at that time.

Cordially,

Mrs. Emery May Norweb
9511 Lake Shore Blvd.
Cleveland, Ohio 44108

October 3, 1973

Mr. and Mrs. R. Henry Norweb
9511 Lake Shore Boulevard
Cleveland, Ohio 44108

Evelyn and I want to thank you again for your hospitality and friendship in the course of the Congress. In retrospect, it had the glow and atmosphere which one dreams about in having international meetings, and shows how well the educational, social and logistic aspects were planned.

We enjoyed the pleasant time we had with Libby and Henry Jr.

Our wish that you could visit us in St. Louis has not abated and we look forward to seeing you whenever and wherever our paths can cross.

Cordially yours,

Eric P. Newman

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6450 Cecil Avenue, St. Louis 5, Missouri

October 3, 1973

Norweb Collection
9511 Lake Shore Boulevard
Cleveland, Ohio 44108

Re: Inquiry to the Norweb Collection

We have been asked whether the 1856 United States One-Half Cent proof in your collection has a raised lump near the top of the "I" of "United", and we would be very appreciative if you could furnish that information at your convenience.

Very truly yours,

Eric P. Newman

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9595 Kirtland - Chardon Road
Willoughby, Ohio 44094

October 25, 1973

Mr. Eric P. Newman
The Eric P. Newman Numismatic Education Society
6450 Cecil Avenue
St. Louis, Missouri

Dear Eric:

In answer to the inquiry you sent to my mother, I have checked the 1856 United States One-Half Cent proof and determined that definitely there is no raised lump near the top of the "I" of "United."

Yours sincerely,

R. Henry Norweb, Jr.

RHN/a

cc: Mrs. R. Henry Norweb

ERIC P. NEWMAN NUMISMATIC EDUCATION SOCIETY

6450 Cecil Avenue, St. Louis 5, Missouri

September 19, 1974

Mrs. Emery May Norweb
9511 Lake Shore Blvd.
Cleveland, Ohio 44108

Dear Emery May:

It was fun talking to you and Henry over the telephone and I look forward to hearing from you about the matters discussed.

You indicated that you had a copy of the Kosoff-Schulman appraisal of the Lilly collection. The copy which I have is missing page 4 of the portion with Schulman's conclusions. I am sending a photocopy of the title and page 3 to make the right page 4 easier to locate.

My silver center cent weighs 80 grains. Its stated pedigree is all wrong. My letter to coin world is enclosed.

As to your silver center cent, would you be nice enough to give me its weight. Does it have a scratch as the Parmelee piece is said to have in the September 18, 1974 advertisement? Did you ever trade the Parmelee piece for another one at New Netherlands in 1957 as they say you did under coins #2 and #6?

Could you give me the weight of your mixed metal cent as well.

Your threat to come to St. Louis is wonderful. We hope it materializes.

My very kindest personal regards.

Sincerely,

Eric P. Newman

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6450 Cecil Avenue, St. Louis 5, Missouri

December 17, 1974

Mrs. Henry Norweb
9511 Lake Shore Blvd.
Cleveland, Ohio 44108

Dear Emery May:

I have been consulted with respect to the private sale of a collection of 450 different Scotch coins from 1124 to 1716. It is a fine collection and I have seen the photographs of the coins themselves. There are 80 gold pieces in the group. The owner wants to sell the entire collection which seems to be in choice condition. Are you interested in pursuing the matter?

My kindest personal regards to you for the holidays.

Sincerely,

Eric P. Newman

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9511 LAKE SHORE BOULEVARD
CLEVELAND, OHIO 44108

January 3, 1975

My dear Eric,

Thank you very much for your letter of December 17th. I am the type of person who can hardly ever resist buying coins particularly if they come in a collection. However this time I shall steel myself against temptation since I have never collected Scotch or Irish coins.

We both hope that you had a good Christmas and that 1975 may bring you health and prosperity.

Sincerely yours,

Emery May Norris
(Eric)

9511 LAKE SHORE BOULEVARD
CLEVELAND, OHIO 44108

June 17, 1975

Dear Eric:

Sunday's New York Times carried the enclosed item. Also I note a reference to a book by Larry Spanbauer on Modern U.S. Counterfeits - page 50 Coin World June 18. I should think the very word would stick in their throats.

As always, it is good to see you, actively participating in the Society's affairs. The meetings seem more lively too.

Sincerely,

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6450 Cecil Avenue, St. Louis 5, Missouri

June 20, 1975

Mr. Henry Norweb
9511 Lake Shore Blvd.
Cleveland, Ohio 44108

Dear Henry:

Thank you for your note. I was unaware of the N. Y. Times comment.

As to the booklet on counterfeiting, I wrote an encouragement to the author. It was a meaningless publication, but the author's attitude was great.

It occurred to me that it is the 50th anniversary of Sam Milbank's monograph on the Coins of Aegina. Couldn't we do something cute at the next meeting. Perhaps we could all sign a copy and give it to him as a surprise for fifty years of scholarship.

My best to you and Emery.

Sincerely,

Eric P. Newman

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9511 LAKE SHORE BOULEVARD
CLEVELAND, OHIO 44108

June 24, 1975

Dear Eric,

Your idea for Sam Milbank is more than a germ of a good idea it is superb. Where can a copy be found to autograph? We might have made a cardboard sleeve if it is a hard binding or a jacket if it is a soft binding. With appropriate lettering and all the signatures it might even be decorative.

Emery May sends her best and says you are a genius.

Sincerely yours,

Hay.

July 21, 1976

Mr. and Mrs. R. Henry Norweb

Please send me a photocopy of the 1792 Washington data you spoke of. I am most interested.

Eric P. Newman

From the desk of
ERIC P. NEWMAN

July 21, 1976

Mrs. and Mrs. R. Henry Norweb

Don't forget the dossier on Henry, Jr.

Eric P. Newman

From the desk of
ERIC P. NEWMAN

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6450 Cecil Avenue, St. Louis 5, Missouri

July 21, 1976

Mr. and Mrs.HR. Henry Norweb
9511 Lake Shore Blvd.
Cleveland, Ohio 44108

Dear Emery Mae and Henry:

It was a most pleasant evening I had with you. We covered many subjects and the dinner was delicious. We should do it more often.

I enjoyed my "hotel on the grounds" and thank you for that hospitality.

Cordially,

Eric P. Newman

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9511 LAKE SHORE BOULEVARD
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August 16, 1976

My dear Eric,

We have just returned from Maine and I have tracked down my son who also has been on vacation. The profile you so kindly asked for will be in the mail Wednesday and I am sorry for this delay.

Needless to say, I am more than grateful for what you are doing and hope something will result.

As to the Washington, I will have to have more time on that as I have to get somebody with eyes who can search through the the papers.

As ever,

Emery Roy

Mrs. R. Henry Norweb

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6450 Cecil Avenue, St. Louis 5, Missouri

August 4, 1978

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Norweb
9511 Lake Shore Blvd.
Cleveland, OH 44108

Dear Henry and Emery May:

I want to thank you for your thoughtfulness in calling me in New York to tell me you wouldn't be able to attend my annual program before the summer seminar. That was truly an unusually nice thing to do, particularly since I had no idea you had any intention of coming. Perhaps you will come next year, assuming I am invited back again.

What is more important is that your health problems can be solved satisfactorily and that we will all be able to be together in New York in September.

Evelyn will be with me in New York and we look forward to seeing you.

Kindest regards,

Eric P. Newman

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September 15, 1978

Mr. and Mrs. R. Henry Norweb
9511 Lake Shore Blvd.
Cleveland, Ohio 44108

Dear Emery May and Henry:

The news of your resignation from ANS was not easy for me to accept even though I knew it was imminent and would not change your devotion to the society. I will miss both of you personally as our contacts were always a pleasure and always stimulating.

I look forward to working with Henry, Jr., and I believe he will enjoy his service with the society.

I hope our paths can cross many times in the future. Please keep your health under control so that you can continue your multitude of activities and enjoy life's exciting opportunities.

Please let me know if at any time there is anything I can do for you.

Cordially,

Eric P. Newman

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9511 LAKE SHORE BOULEVARD
CLEVELAND, OHIO 44108

October 10, 1978

My dear Eric,

It was characteristic of you to write us such a charming letter. We do not feel that we have left the ANS but merely moved to a new room. We were delighted when Harry Bass wrote that he would propose at the next meeting that those going off the board should be made Honorary.

Needless to say Henry is sitting in a warm glow over his being elected to take his father's place.

Our best to you.

Gratefully yours,

Emily May Norweb

Mrs. R. Henry Norweb

Jupiter Island Club
HOBE SOUND, FLORIDA

Dear Eric — Jan 3

Highest on my catch-up list is a note to tell you with what pleasure and satisfaction we heard of the well merited award. Yes, ANS there are full of distinction & then there and in addition to the Classic.

We envy you esp some to the Contacts. One of the land areas I have missed. Regards Harry.

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6450 Cecil Avenue, St. Louis 5, Missouri

March 13, 1979

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Norweb
Jupiter Island Club
Hobe Sound, Florida 33455

Dear Emery May and Henry:

You were so kind to write me with respect to the Huntington Award. I do cherish it and if it were not for the opportunities which you and others had given me in letting me examine your pieces and in discussing matters with you, I would not have been able to do the necessary research.

As you noted, Evelyn and I went to Antarctica and enjoyed it to the fullest extent. You have seen most of the world and been stimulated by it and I hope your health enables you to continue it again. I note that you are wintering in Florida, so the brutal cold weather of home was only something to read about.

My kindest personal regards.

Sincerely,

Eric P. Newman

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9511 LAKE SHORE BOULEVARD
CLEVELAND, OHIO 44108

March 19, 1979

My dear Eric,

On our return from Florida we heard of your having received the top award of the ANS. We were delighted and agreeably surprised at the ANS having this much good sense. So often I think of you as a town crier of Colonial days silently passing along dark streets, invisible but always there. A cry of warning then after a while the reassuring coming strong and steady, "All's well".

I do wish we could see you now and then as we still have a great interest in the ANS and will make it more active through Henry.

Again many congratulations. We are proud to call you friend.

As ever

Emery Kay Norweb

Mrs. R. Henry Norweb

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6450 Cecil Avenue, St. Louis, Missouri 63105

January 21, 1983

Mrs. Emery May Norweb
9511 Lake Shore Blvd.
Cleveland, Ohio 44108

Dear Emery:

It was so interesting to read about your fine donation to Smithsonian that I am taking the opportunity to write you. We have had so many pleasant times together that I sincerely miss seeing you and Harry. I am only disappointed that you never did visit us in St. Louis, but the invitation still stands.

You and I are a rare breed - true collectors - I wish there were more of us and less investors.

As you know from your son, the ANS keeps improving its services and I enjoy being a member of the Council and giving a lecture each summer at the Seminar. My writing has slowed a bit, but continues. I have a numismatic museum open to the public in St. Louis.

Evelyn and I still keep up our world travels. We did Yemen, Sudan and Jordan recently. In 1981 we took our children and grandchildren to Botswana on a tenting safari and had a real family picnic. We often go to our house in Jamaica to recharge our batteries. Strangely enough, both of us still work full time, as that is necessary for our equilibrium.

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Evelyn joins me in sending all of you our best wishes.

Cordially,

Eric P. Newman

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9511 LAKE SHORE BOULEVARD
CLEVELAND, OHIO 44108

January 28, 1983

My dear Eric,

It was a delightful look back in the past to read your letter. How many days of pleasure I have had collecting coins, no one will ever know. It is true I started in 1907 and have not stopped collecting even now. I just got a Tinca from Brazil which completes that set. Unfortunately, years creep on and don't give me much leeway.

I am glad you are doing a lot of writing because that is certainly your chief forte. I hope that you are finding coins for your collection as I know how you love them. My only new accomplishment is the publishing of English 17th Century tokens. When I had made the arrangement with Spink to do so the British Academy asked if they could not be the ones to put it in their sylloge and so there will be three volumes and an index for the whole thing when done. The first volume is supposed to come out in April of this year. It will be pleasant to know that this is true. Christopher Blunt has said that the information on the tokens is accumulated and plentiful and that the whole volumes together will form a definitive collection.

My love to all of you.

Emily May Norweb

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October 1, 1983

Members of the Council:

The Society has just received the sad news that R. Henry Norweb, Sr. died in his sleep during the night.

Addresses are listed below for Mrs. R. Henry Norweb and R. Henry Norweb, Jr.

Mrs. R. Henry Norweb
9511 Lake Shore Blvd.
Cleveland, Ohio 44108

R. Henry Norweb, Jr.
9595 Kirtland - Chardon Road
Willoughby, Ohio 44094

Sincerely yours,

Rose

Rose Mangini

Eric P. Newman
6450 Cecil Ave.
St. Louis, Mo. 63105

October 4, 1983

Dear Emery May and Henry,

I, like many others, was sad to learn of the end of Harry's full, exciting and respected life. It was a pleasure to know him and to work with him for the public good.

My best to both of you.

Cordially,

Mrs. R. Henry Norweb
9511 Lake Shore Blvd.
Cleveland, Ohio 44108

Mr. R. Henry Norweb, Jr.
9595 Kirtland - Chardon Road
Willoughby, Ohio 44094

October 6

Dear Eric –

You may get two notes but Henry wants me to write thanking you for your thoughts of him, his Mother, and especially of his father at this time. We will greatly miss his balance in the family as well as the loving support we

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March 27, 1984

Members of the Council:

R. Henry Norweb has just informed us that his mother Emery May Norweb died this morning. Mrs. Norweb served on the Society's Council from 1968-78.

You may address a note to Libby and Henry at:

9595 Kirtland - Chardon Road
Willoughby, Ohio 44094

Sincerely yours,

Leslie A. Elam
Director

LAE:RMg

April 4, 1984

Dear Libby and Henry,

A numismatic era has passed with the death of your mother. She lived a full life of participation in cultural and business activities. It was a pleasure for me to do research with her, to discuss interesting topics with her and to serve together at the American Numismatic Society. To have known Emery May and Harry was a privilege for anyone and I enjoyed it to the fullest.

Cordially,

Mr. and Mrs. R. Henry Norweb
9595 Kirtland - Chardon Road
Willoughby, Ohio 44094

April 19, 1984

Dear Eric,

A brief note to put in writing the appreciation for your note that I tried to express in words last Saturday. Mother and Dad both admired you and valued you as a friend. They were people of good judgement.

Hugh

EPWNSS

October 1, 1984.

Dear Eric,

I have searched my memory, combed my hair, shaken out my handkerchiefs and turned my pockets inside out to find items to put on the list for settlement of costs and expenses to Indianapolis, and search as I will have found only

Item I A(1)(a): four (4) tickets for Home in Indiana Dinner @ $35.00 each, of which two (2) were for Eric and you, $70.00 or $140, however you do your arithmetic.

Item II A(1)(a): a very pleasant week-end.—

Yours,

Henry.

Dave + Mike 5/19/87

Since writing you I spoke to Mike and he asked me to send some of the correspondence between the Normels and me. I said I would withhold the dull items and also withhold the items which had unflattering things to say about living people (these are not dull). Thus I send a small packet. I hope it will reflect well on her and help your book about them.

Eric

FROM THE DESK OF **ERIC P. NEWMAN**

ERIC P. NEWMAN NUMISMATIC EDUCATION SOCIETY

6650 Cecil Avenue St. Louis, Missouri 63105

May 19, 1987

Mr. Q. David Bowers
Bowers and Merena
Box 1224
Wolfeboro, NH 03894

Dear Dave:

I have by accident located my correspondence file with the Norwebs. I has some nice comments by each of them. It goes back to 1953. Do you want this type of material for your opus on the Norwebs?

Sincerely,

Eric P. Newman

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IMPORTANT MESSAGE

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FOR Ed

DATE 10/24 TIME 9:30 A.M. P.M.

M Henry Norwell

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SIGNED Ed

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R. HENRY NORWEB, JR.
822 NATIONAL CITY BANK BUILDING
CLEVELAND, OHIO 44114

October 26, 1990

Mr. Eric P. Newman
c/o Edison Brothers Stores, Inc.
P.O. Box 14020
St. Louis, MO 63178

Dear Eric:

Confirming our telephone conversation yesterday, I will be at your office at 10:30 November 8th. As I said the sole purpose is to garner some of your thoughts regarding the present role of ANS and where it should be looking at the future. Then if you do have any thoughts regarding a person or persons whom it might be beneficial for me to meet I will be delighted to have them join you and me for luncheon as my guests.

In the afternoon my return flight is a little after four but do not worry about me for I can always take a busman's holiday and visit the Missouri Botanical Garden.

Looking forward to seeing you on the 8th.

Yours sincerely,

R. Henry Norweb, Jr.

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6450 Cecil Avenue, St. Louis, Missouri 63105

October 30, 1990

Mr. R. Henry Norweb, Jr.
822 National City Bank Building
Cleveland, OH 44114

Dear Henry:

You picked a perfect date for your St. Louis visit. Bruce Kelly, of New York, one of the world's leading landscape architects (my wife's team hired him to create a master plan for Forest Park in St. Louis) will give an illustrated talk at the Missouri Botannical Garden at 1PM on November 8, 1990 on Historic St. Louis Landscapes. If you do not know him, we will have you meet him. If Peter Raven is there, you can see him too. If Libby wants to come, she is more than welcome.

We will handle all the numismatic matters in the morning, at lunch, etc.

I look forward to seeing you.

Sincerely,

Eric

Eric P. Newman

EPN:bv

R. Henry Norweb, Jr. January 28, 1991

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Dear Henry:

I previously sent you some information on a Brazilian copper coinage episode, but now I have located my correspondence file. I have never received from my Brazilian correspondent an answer as to how a counterfeit of a Brazilian copper is to be distinguished or if it really exists. You are free to write my correspondent, but you may already know him.

I enclose a copy of the letter from this Alain Costilhes to Dick Doty. Doty sent the letter to me because I was familiar with the American token manufacturers. I enclose the correspondence. I also enclose the original excerpt from the newspapers which I had originally located, also a portion of Prober and a translation of the pertinent part relating to the United States.

I think this is an intriguing Brazilian coinage problem. I believe the American token people could have manufactured the coins on order from some Brazilian. What do you know about it ?

I hope this is helpful.

Sincerely,

Eric P. Newman

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May 2, 1991

Mr. R. Henry Norweb, Jr.
822 National City Bank Building
Cleveland, OH 44114

Dear Henry:

Your designating me as chariman of the ANS Nominating Committee does not prevent me from asking you for your input.

Any suggestions you have will be most welcome. The two names I talked to you about previously seem to be unavailable. Have you any more thoughts?

Sincerely,

Eric P. Newman

EPN:bv

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May 6, 1991

R HENRY NORWEB, JR
PRESIDENT

Mr. Eric P. Newman
Eric P. Newman Numismatic Education Society
6450 Cecil Avenue
St. Louis, Missouri 63105

Dear Eric:

Double congratulations are in order. This, I know, is the week of your 80th birthday and to you the most sincere best wishes.

Again, many thanks for the excellent presentation you gave at the meeting last Saturday. The material was fascinating and the delivery flawless.

With regard to the Nominating Committee I have no specific individuals in mind for Council. There are, however, some principles that I would hope your Committee will consider. The Council in its meetings has already requested that the Nominating Committee evaluate attendance records and the general record of Councillors in behalf of ANS. Next, obviously important to me is keeping in mind securing some younger councillors and particularly looking for potential officer and presidential material.

Finally, it seems to me that the balance of academics vs. others on the Council is about right. I do know that Jack Leggett has a candidate in mind and I will ask him to drop you a note or telephone you promptly.

With regard to the 1792 Washington piece, I have not forgotten your interest and should I decide to make any move with this collection will be in touch with you long before I do anything else.

Again all best wishes.

Yours sincerely,

R. Henry Norweb, Jr.
President

Mr. & Mrs. Henry Norweb

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October 19, 1992

Dear Libby & Harry:

What a gracious and elegant evening all of us had at your New York home last weekend. The goodwill you generated for ANS by being such delightful hosts was immense and was done in such a sincere fashion.

Evelyn and I thank you for being included.

Your parent's friend and your friend,

Eric P. Newman